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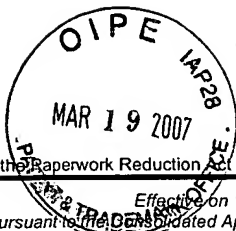
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2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
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Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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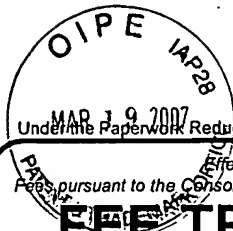
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Inventorship Luan C. Tran
Attorney's Docket No. MI22-2331
Title: Semiconductor Processing Methods of Forming Integrated Circuitry

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It is hereby requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued with respect to Patent No. 70,454,052, granted May 16, 2006, in accordance with the Certificate of Correction form attached hereto in duplicate.

It is noted that an error appears in this patent of a clerical nature of character, as more fully described below. The error occurred in good faith. Correction thereof does not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require re-examination.

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Col. 3, line 3 in the Specification/Col. 2, line 8 in the Issued Patent.

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